

Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 STATE 119581
ORIGIN PM-05

INFO OCT-01 ARA-10 EUR-12 ISO-00 L-03 ACDA-12 NEA-11
COM-02 DODE-00 EB-08 NSAE-00 ICA-11 TRSE-00
SOE-02 DOE-15 CIAE-00 /092 R

DRAFTED BY PM/SAS:RWSMITH:LD
APPROVED BY PM- RAERICSON
L/PM - MR. BOREK
EUR/WE - MR.MCKINLEY
ARA/RPP - COL QUIGG
ACDA - MS. WATSON
PM/SAS - MR. CORRY
NEA - NAVELIOTES

-----066645 110949Z /21

R 102246Z MAY 78
FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY ROME
INFO AMEMBASSY QUITO
USCINCEUR
USCINCSO QUARRY HTS CZ

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 119581

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, IT, EC

SUBJECT: ITALIAN REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF MILITARY SALES
TO ECUADOR

REF: A) STATE 225693
B) ROME 11432
C) QUITO 6910

1. WE HAVE REVIEWED QUESTION OF PROPOSED ITALIAN SALE OF
G-91Y AIRCRAFT WITH US ENGINES TO ECUADOR AND HAVE CON-
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 STATE 119581

CLUDED THAT USG WOULD HAVE NO OBJECTION TO SUCH SALE.
HOWEVER, WE WILL NOT PROCESS CASE FURTHER AT THIS TIME,
I.E., OBTAINING TRANSFER ASSURANCES FROM ECUADOR, IN VIEW
OF REPORT IN REF C THAT LATTER MAY NOT BE ACTIVELY CON-
SIDERING PURCHASE OF G-91Y. IN CONVEYING USG APPROVAL IN
PRINCIPLE TO APPROPRIATE GOI OFFICIALS, YOU MAY SUGGEST
THAT ITALIANS INFORM US WHENEVER ACTUAL SALES CONTRACT

APPEARS IMMINENT SO THAT WE CAN THEN UNDERTAKE STEPS
LEADING TO FINAL USG CONSENT TO TRANSFER.

2. WE HAVE ALSO CONVEYED ABOVE TO ITALIAN EMBASSY. VANCE

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 jan 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: MILITARY SALES, MEETING PROCEEDINGS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 10 may 1978
Decaption Date: 01 jan 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 20 Mar 2014
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1978STATE119581
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: RWSMITH:LD
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D780199-1107
Format: TEL
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1978/newtext/t19780572/aaaacjgq.tel
Line Count: 66
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 9f3730a1-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ORIGIN PM
Original Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 78 STATE 225693
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 23 may 2005
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 2731328
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: ITALIAN REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF MILITARY SALES TO ECUADOR
TAGS: MASS, IT, EC
To: ROME
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/9f3730a1-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Sheryl P. Walter
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
20 Mar 2014
Markings: Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014